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SUBJECT: IMPORT CERTIFICATES FOR MULTIPLE TRANSACTIONS

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1. SIG. EZIO IMOLESI, HEAD OF MINISTRY OF FOREIGN TRADE OFFICE WHICH ISSUES IMPORT CERTIFICATES, TOLD EDO THAT MINISTRY NORMALLY ISSUES BULK IC'S TO ITALIAN DISTRIBUTORS WITHOUT REQUIRING DETAILED LISTING OF ALL LOCAL END USERS. DETAILED LISTINGS CAN BE REQUIRED IF THERE BASIS FOR SUSPECTING ILLEGAL DIVERSION. IN ANY EVENT LOCAL KODAK HAS MADE NO APPLICATION TO MINISTRY OF FOREIGN TRADE FOR IC FOR HIGH RESOLUTION AND METAL- CLAD PLATES. ALTHOUGH ITALIAN OFFICIALS CANNOT COMMIT THEMSELVES IN ADVANCE OF FORMAL IC APPLICATION, IMOLESI CONVEYED IMPRESSION THAT IN GENERAL BULK IC FOR SUCH REPUTABLE FIRM AS KODAK S. P. A. WOULD NOT PRESENT PROBLEM.

2. EMBASSY UNABLE TO IDENTIFY EXACTLY HIGH RESOLUTION AND METAL CLAD PLATES ON COCOM LIST. BELIEVE IT POSSIBLE THAT IF ITEM ONLY RECENTLY PLACED UNDER INTERNATIONAL EMBARGO AND UN-FAMILIAR TO ITALIAN TRADE OFFICIALS SOMEONE MAY HAVE SPECIFIED TO A KODAK REP THE NEED FOR UNUSUALLY DETAILED END USE INFORMATION ESPECIALLY IF ITEM'S RELATIONSHIP TO KODAK'S NORMAL SPECIALTY

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NOT CLEAR. THIS COMPLICATED BY FACT THAT WHEN ITEM NEWLY PLACED
ON INTERNATIONAL EMBARGO LIST THERE OFTEN IS (ACCORDING
TO IMOLESI) AN ADMINISTRATIVE DELAY BEFORE IT PLACED ON REGULAR
ITALIAN EXCON LIST. DURING THIS PERIOD ITEM IS NOT YET TECHNI-
CALLY SUBJECT TO ITALIAN EXPORT LICENSING, AND ITALIAN EXCON
OFFICIALS PROBABLY MORE CAREFUL THAN USUAL IN VERIFYING END USE
BEFORE ISSUING IMPORT CERTIFICATES. VOLPE

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